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MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

SUBJECT: NSC Briefing of 28 July 1955

1. The 256th meeting of the NSC is scheduled for 1000 Thursday, 28 July 1955, with SecState's recapitulation of Geneva as the major topic. With the expectation that he will have little time before the Council, DCI wishes to confine himself to a single subject, as follows (divisions' usual responsibility for spot developments, in consequence, being confined to matters of major importance):

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GRAPHICS

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| D/Gen) | Analysis (with citation, emphasizing | (nil) |
|) | direct quotes) of foreign Governments' | |
| D/West) | and key foreign leaders' statements: | |
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| D/NEA) | a) concerning the Eisenhower "blue- | |
|) | print exchange" disarmament pro- | |
| D/FE) | posals, and | |
| | b) concerning Summit results in gen- | |
| | eral. | |

2. In order to achieve uniformity among various divisions' presentation of this material, it is suggested that contributions be drafted with the following outline in mind (outline will serve for comment under both (a) and (b) above):

- (A) "Blueprint" (or "Summit") comment - country
- i. identity of commentator
 - ii. key quotation
 - iii. analysis (to include assessment of comment against commentator's "normal line").
 - iv. regional significance.

3. Although much of the available commentary will necessarily come from press reports, it is desired that special emphasis be placed on opinion reported in classified media.

4. Usual deadline (original plus six, electronic, by 1200 Tuesday, 26 July) applies. Schedule for rehearsals and carding will follow.

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